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Enter the amendment previously filed on August 25, 2003, but unentered, in the application.

Our check in the amount of \$375.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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